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TO AMEMBASSY CAIRO

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E.O. 11652: N/A

TAGS: EFIN, EG

SUBJECT: EXIMBANK MEETING - TELECOMMUNICATIONS PROJECT

1. ON SEPTEMBER 6, 1978, MINISTER OF COMMUNICATIONS  
TALEB, DR. OWEISS OF ARE ECONOMIC MISSION, N.Y., AND  
TWO ARE EMBASSY OFFICIALS MET WITH CHAIRMAN MOORE AND  
STAFF AT EXIMBANK.

2. THE MINISTER WAS ADVISED OF EXIMBANK'S POLICY  
REGARDING EGYPTIAN TRANSACTIONS, I.E., AN OUTSIDE  
GUARANTOR WOULD BE REQUIRED.

3. UPON LEARNING THAT EXIMBANK LOAN PACKAGES CAN  
AVERAGE 10 PERCENT INTEREST, THE MINISTER INDICATED  
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THAT HE WOULD CONTINUE TO SEEK FINANCING ON CONCESSIONARY  
TERMS FROM FOR INSTANCE, WORLD BANK, USAID OR ARAB  
FUNDS. CHRISTOPHER

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